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US-Polish Relations Remain Warm

US-Polish relations have been so good in recent weeks that our DCM in Warsaw felt compelled to comment on them. He said that the atmosphere, which has become increasingly cordial in recent months, reached a new high following Foreign Trade Minister Olechowski's return from the US in early November. Members of most sections of the embassy claim that Polish doors are a little wider open for them, and their contacts seem more willing to accept social invitations. Additionally, the trend toward softer press treatment of the US continues. Underlying this warmth, the DCM believes, is the evident recognition on the part of the Polish leadership that the US has been making good on promises, explicit or implicit, made during President Nixon's visit last summer and the belief that Washington's cooperative attitude will continue. Comment: With all the problems that the US faces regularly elsewhere in the world, it is refreshing to see that we are doing something right somewhere.

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